

Loudoun County EMS Advisory Council, Inc.

Minutes June 17, 2003

The scheduled June meeting of the Loudoun County EMS Advisory Council, Inc. was held on Tuesday, June 17, 2003 at the Loudoun Hospital Center-Cornwall Campus, located on Cornwall Street, Leesburg, Virginia. Chairman Leo Kelly was excused from the meeting, Secretary Linda Hale presided and called the meeting to order at 1930 hours. The following attendance was recorded during a roll call of member companies:

Co. 1	Yes	Co. 9	Yes	Co. 17	Yes
Co. 2	Yes	Co. 10	No	LCFR	Yes
Co. 3	Yes	Co. 11	Yes	LFAS	Yes
Co. 4	Yes	Co. 12	Yes	Lifeline	No
Co. 5	No	Co. 13	Yes	Pub. Health	Yes
Co. 6	Yes	Co. 14	Yes	LHC	No
Co. 7	No	Co. 15	Yes	OMD	Excused
Co. 8	Yes	Co. 16	Excused	LCSO	Yes

Public Comments:

None noted

Delegate Comments

Delegate Elkon expressed concern with the conferment of the Clark Deener Memorial Award to "paid person". "Numerous" people have approached Delegate Elkon as to why it was not given to a volunteer. It was stated that this is not a volunteer vs. career issue, but that career persons are paid to perform the job. This was not the intention of the Deener award.

Delegate Brendel mentioned that both career and volunteer members of the system are eligible and that the award is voted on by past recipients.

Treasurer Love stated that the award is given to the person who has done the most for the system that past year, and years previous.

Secretary Hale stated that Chairman Leo Kelly will be advised of Delegate Elkon's concerns and will address them at the next EMS Council Meeting.

Minutes

Copies of the minutes of the May 20, 2003, EMS Council meeting were distributed.

A motion was made and seconded to accept the minutes as written with the amendment. They're being no further discussion on the motion it passed unanimously.

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Treasurer's Report:

Allie Love provided the Treasurer's Report for the month of June.

Two-for-Life Account:	\$67,659.07
General Fund Acct.	\$ 21, 185.67
Car Seat Account	\$1,552.11
Public Education	\$ 1,709.15

Treasure Love advised that major expenditures to come out of the two-for-life account will be the Fast-One device trainers for each transport station, LP 500s replacing the LP 300s, Finishin narcotics boxes, extrication equipment for joint venture with the training division, and triage tags for once a month usage. Treasure Love warned that by the end of the month the balances will be very low

Committee Reports:

Public Health – Dr. Goodfriend was present and reported:

1. The smallpox vaccine is available to Fire-Rescue personnel through Kevin Johnson, OEM manager. Statewide there is not been a big push for the vaccine.
2. LHC had one –(1) rule out for monkey pox this past month. The smallpox vaccine would prevent this infection.
3. Statewide smallpox training video should be out mid June 2003. The video will be 90 min long.
4. There has been a human rabies case in the northern virginia area, not Loudoun County. Watch for signs of encephilitis and drooling, these could indicate rabies infection.
5. Public Health Department is expanding their medical reserve core to include volunteers that could help during significant events.
6. West Nile virus infections are more prevalent in late July to early August. Watch for similar encephalitis type symptoms in your patients.

LCSO – Thank you for your support.

Representative present for any questions. There being none representative excused self.

ALS Committee-Secretary Hale reported:

1. Please see attached minutes

BLS Committee – Chairman Gammill

1. BLS Committee provided the minutes as attached.

2. The CPR-Instructor class will be held August 23 and 24, 2003. With the pretest on August 19, 2003

Loudoun Hospital Center-No Report

NVEMSC –No Report.

Rescue Chiefs – Georgia Gardner, Chair of the Chief's Committee reported:

- 1) Please see attached minutes

Squad Truck and Standards Committee – No Report

Peer Review – The next meeting is scheduled for 6/25//03 @ TC.

LCFR – Battalion Chief Hale reported:

Fire- Rescue Commission – Hale reported next commission meeting is 6/24/03 at 1900 hr in classroom #2.

Public Education – Barbara Murphy, Chair of the Public Education Committee reported

Old Business

None

New Business

None

There being no further business, a motion was made and seconded that the meeting be adjourned and it passed unanimously.

The meeting was adjourned at 2125 hours.

The next meeting is scheduled for July 15, 2003, at 1930 hours in the Classroom at the Cornwall Street Campus of Loudoun Hospital Center.